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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PATENT EXAMINING OPERATION

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Invention : PRODUCTION OF POROUS ARTICLES
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filed October 1, 1997

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Attention: DO/EO/US

Sir:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel Claims 1-10, without prejudice, and add Claims 11-20, attached hereto.

REMARKS

Claims 11 through 20 remain in this application.

Claim 1-10 have been replaced by Claims 11-20 to eliminate multiple dependency
included in the originally filed claims, and to conform with U.S. practice.

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